



Medicaid Programs for Medicare Beneficiaries

New Income & Asset Guidelines Effective April 1, 2015

Qualified Medicare Beneficiary Program (QMB) 100% FPL

MEDICAID pays Medicare's deductibles, co-insurance and Part B monthly premium
 MEDICAID reduces Medicare Part D premium and co-pays for covered medications

	Single	Married
Gross Income	\$1,001 per month maximum*	\$1,348 per month maximum*
Assets	\$7,280 maximum**	\$10,930 maximum**

Specified Low-Income Medicare Beneficiary Program (SLMB) 120% FPL

MEDICAID pays Medicare's Part B monthly premium
 MEDICAID reduces Medicare Part D premium and co-pays for covered medications

	Single	Married
Gross Income	\$1,197 per month maximum*	\$1,613 per month maximum*
Assets	\$7,280 maximum**	\$10,930 maximum**

Qualified Individual – (QI) 135% FPL

Same as SLMB: MEDICAID pays Medicare's Part B monthly premium
 MEDICAID reduces Medicare Part D premium and co-pays for covered medications

	Single	Married
Gross Income	\$1,345 per month maximum*	\$1,813 per month maximum*
Assets	\$7,280 maximum**	\$10,930 maximum**

NOTES: * Figures are approximate and include the \$20 set-aside. Check with your parish Council on Aging or parish Medicaid Office.

** Usually excluded assets include: home, one automobile, burial plots, home furnishings, personal jewelry and life insurance.



LOCAL HELP FOR PEOPLE WITH MEDICARE

If you think you qualify for one of these programs, contact Medicaid at 1-888-342-6207 or your local Council on Aging office.

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